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C O N F I D E N T I A L PORT LOUIS 1271

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E.O. 11652: XGDS-1

TAGS: PORG UNSC MP

SUBJECT: FOREIGN MINISTER WALTER GOING TO NEW YORK FOR UNSC

REF: PORT LOUIS 1214 AND 1224

1. FOREIGN MINISTER, SIR HAROLD WALTER, HAS JUST INFORMED ME THAT HE IS LEAVING THIS EVENING FOR NEW YORK VIA PARIS, ARRIVING NEW YORK ON CONCORDE AT 0830 HOURS DECEMBER 14. HE SAID AMBASSADOR RAMPHUL HAD TRIED TO PREVENT HIS GOING BY SENDING A CABLE TO PRIME MINISTER RAMGOOLAM SAYING THAT UNSC WOULD CONFIDENTIAL

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"PACK IT IN" DECEMBER 15, SO NO NEED FOR SIR HAROLD TO GO TO NEW YORK. (RAMGOOLAM RETURNED TO MAURITIUS YESTERDAY.) WALTER ASKED WHAT WE WANTED HIM "TO DO IN NEW YORK." I SAID I WAS NOT INFORMED ON CURRENT STATE OF PLAY IN SC, AND HE WOULD HAVE TO BRIEF HIMSELF AFTER ARRIVAL. HE SAID HE WOULD MOST LIKELY BE STAYING AT ROGER SMITH HOTEL AND HOPED SOMEONE FROM OUR DELEGATION COULD GET IN TOUCH WITH HIM THERE.

2. COMMENT: RECOMMEND THAT USUN SEND SOMEONE TO CALL ON SIR HAROLD AND BRIEF HIM ON WHAT MIGHT BE COMING BEFORE UNSC REMAINDER OF THIS MONTH. HE IS, AFTER ALL, GOING TO NEW YORK AS RESULT OUR DEMARCHES TO RAMGOOLAM, AND HE EXPECTS US TO ASK HIS COOPERATION. WALTER WOULD OF COURSE APPRECIATE A MEETING WITH AMBASSADOR YOUNG, IF ONE CAN BE ARRANGED WHILE HE IS IN NEW YORK. HE EXPECTS TO RETURN HERE PRIOR CHRISTMAS. KEELEY.
UNQUOTE CHRISTOPHER".

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